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**Patent Examining Operations**

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Title: Antitussive/Expectorant Compositions  
Examiner: Sharmila S. Gollamudi Art Unit: 1616  
Atty. Docket No.: 452005-13

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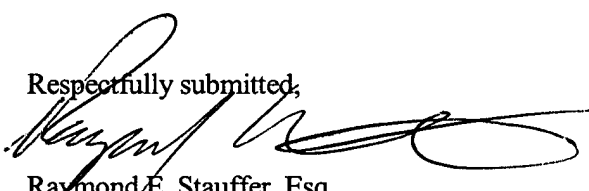
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Dear Sir:

In response to the *Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment* mailed January 3, 2005, and in compliance with the directions therein, Applicants resubmit the hereto-attached "Amendments to the claims."